



**Compilation of information on the minimization of adverse
impacts in accordance with Article 3, paragraph 14, of the
Kyoto Protocol, 2024**

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I. Mandate

1. The Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Kyoto Protocol (CMP), by Decision 15/CMP.1,¹ requested the secretariat to compile annually the supplementary information referred to in paragraph 3 and 4 below.

2. In accordance with Article 3, paragraph 14, of the Kyoto Protocol, each Party included in Annex I to the Convention (Annex I Party) shall strive to implement the commitments mentioned in Article 3, paragraph 1, of the Kyoto Protocol, in such a way as to minimize adverse social, environmental, and economic impacts on developing country Parties, particularly those identified in Article 4, paragraphs 8 and 9 of the Convention.

3. In accordance with decision 15/CMP.1,² Annex I Parties, which are also Parties to the Kyoto Protocol, shall provide the supplementary information as referred to in paragraph 2 above. Parties included in Annex II to the Convention, and other Annex I Parties that are in a position to do so, shall incorporate information in their submissions on how they give priority, in implementing their commitments under Article 3, paragraph 14, of the Kyoto Protocol, to the following actions, based on the relevant methodologies referred to in decision 31/CMP.1:³

(a) The progressive reduction or phasing out of market imperfections, fiscal incentives, tax and duty exemptions, and subsidies in all greenhouse-gas-emitting sectors, taking into account the need for energy price reforms to reflect market prices and externalities; The progressive reduction or phasing out of market imperfections, fiscal incentives, tax and duty exemptions, and subsidies in all greenhouse-gas-emitting sectors, taking into account the need for energy price reforms to reflect market prices and externalities;

(b) Removing the subsidies associated with the use of environmentally unsound and unsafe technologies.

(c) Cooperating in the technological development of non-energy uses of fossil fuels and supporting developing country Parties to this end.

(d) Cooperating in the development, diffusion and transfer of lower-greenhouse-gas-emitting advanced fossil-fuel technologies and/or technologies relating to fossil fuels that capture and store greenhouse gases, encouraging their wider use, and facilitating the participation of least developed countries and other Parties not included in Annex I to the Convention in this effort.

(e) Strengthening the capacity of developing country Parties identified in Article 4, paragraphs 8 and 9 of the Convention to improve efficiency in upstream and downstream activities relating to fossil fuels, taking into consideration the need to improve the environmental efficiency of these activities;

(f) Assisting developing country Parties, which are highly dependent on the export and consumption of fossil fuels, in diversifying their economies.

4. Where the information referred to above has been provided in earlier submissions, Annex I Parties shall include information on any changes that have occurred compared with the information reported in their last submissions.

5. One of the purposes of this compilation is to facilitate the detailed examination by an expert review team of the supplementary information incorporated in the annual

¹ Decision 15/CMP.1 annex, para 26.

² Decision 15/CMP.1, annex, para 23.

³ In accordance with decision 31/CMP.1, paragraph 11, secretariat organized a workshop on reporting methodologies in the context of Article 3, paragraph 14, of the Kyoto Protocol, which was held in Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates, from 4 to 6 September 2006. The workshop report is contained in document FCCC/SBI/2006/27.

inventory during an in-country visit, in conjunction with the review of the national communication, in accordance with decision 22/CMP.1.⁴

II. Approach

6. Forty-four Annex I Parties submitted their national inventory reports (NIRs) by March 2025. This report compiles the information from the NIR of Annex I Parties that ratified the Kyoto Protocol, i.e., forty-two Parties. The information contained in section IV of this document is reproduced as received from Parties in their NIR 2024. The secretariat has, however, made minimal changes to the format of the information to ensure consistency in presentation.

7. There are five different types of presentation:

(a) In the case that majority of the information provided in the 2024 NIR differs from the information provided in the 2023 NIR, the complete text as included in the 2024 NIR is presented in the compilation;

(b) In the case that only a small part of the information provided in the 2024 NIR differs from the information provided in the 2023 NIR, only the difference is presented;

(c) In the case that additional information is provided in the 2024 NIR on top of the information provided in the 2023 NIR, only the additional part is presented;

(d) In the case that no difference was found between the 2024 and 2023 NIRs, it is stated “No new information was included in NIR 2024”.

(e) In the case that the NIR does not include any information referred to in paragraphs 2 and 3 above, it is stated “No information was included in NIR 2024”.

III. Observation

8. Of the forty-two NIRs that were compiled in this report:

(a) No NIRs included new or updated information on the minimization of adverse impacts in accordance with Article 3, paragraph 14, of the Kyoto Protocol compared to the 2023 NIRs;

(b) Six NIRs include information on the minimization of adverse impacts in accordance with Article 3, paragraph 14, of the Kyoto Protocol, however they did not include any new information as compared to the 2023 NIRs;

(c) Thirty-six NIRs did not include any information on the minimization of adverse impacts in accordance with Article 3, paragraph 14, of the Kyoto Protocol. This is an increase from 30 NIRs in 2023.

⁴ Decision 22/CMP.1, annex, paragraph 125.

IV. Compilation of information on the minimization of adverse impacts in accordance with Article 3, paragraph 14, of the Kyoto Protocol

1. AUSTRALIA

No information was included in NIR 2024.

2. AUSTRIA

No information was included in NIR 2024.

3. BELARUS

No information was included in NIR 2024

4. BELGIUM

No information was included in NIR 2024.

5. BULGARIA

No information was included in NIR 2024.

6. CROATIA

No new information was included in NIR 2024.

7. CYPRUS

No new information was included in NIR 2024.

8. CZECH REPUBLIC

No information was included in NIR 2024.

9. DENMARK

No information was included in NIR 2024.

10. ESTONIA

No information was included in NIR 2024.

11. EUROPEAN UNION

No information was included in NIR 2024.

12. FINLAND

No information was included in NIR 2024.

13. FRANCE

No information was included in NIR 2024.

14. GERMANY

No information was included in NIR 2024.

15. GREECE

No new information was included in NIR 2024.

16. HUNGARY

No information was included in NIR 2024.

17. ICELAND

No new information was included in NIR 2024.

18. IRELAND

No information was included in NIR 2024.

19. ITALY

No information was included in NIR 2024.

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No information was included in NIR 2024.

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No information was included in NIR 2024

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No information was included in NIR 2024.

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No information was included in NIR 2024.

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No information was included in NIR 2024.

25. LUXEMBOURG

No information was included in NIR 2024.

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No information was included in NIR 2024.

27. MONACO

No information was included in NIR 2024.

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No information was included in NIR 2024.

29. NEW ZEALAND

No information was included in NIR 2024.

30. NORWAY

No information was included in NIR 2024.

31. POLAND

No information was included in NIR 2024.

32. PORTUGAL

No information was included in NIR 2024.

33. ROMANIA

No information was included in NIR 2024.

34. RUSSIAN FEDERATION

No information was included in NIR 2024.

35. SLOVAKIA

No new information was included in NIR 2024.

36. SLOVENIA

No information was included in NIR 2024.

37. SPAIN

No information was included in NIR 2024.

38. SWEDEN

No information was included in NIR 2024.

39. SWITZERLAND

No new information was included in NIR 2024.

40. TÜRKİYE

No information was included in NIR 2024.

41. UKRAINE

No information was included in NIR 2024.

42. UNITED KINGDOM OF GREAT BRITAIN AND NORTHERN IRELAND

No information was included in NIR 2024.
